

TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 22.

Winnipeg wheat sold yesterday at 78¢ cents.

At Qu'Appelle yesterday \$1.01 was paid for wheat.

Mrs. McFarlane, of Brandon, was killed by a runaway team.

The C. P. R. are sending east over 300 cars of wheat daily.

Over a hundred Armenians refugees have arrived at New York.

Conder, the Oak Lake embezzler, has been arrested at Gladstone.

Winnipeg bakers have advanced the price of bread to seven cents a loaf.

Finance Minister Fielding says no sudden changes will be made in the tariff.

Hon. Mr. Tarte will be entertained at a banquet during his visit to Winnipeg.

Sanford Fleming will replace Sir Mackenzie Bowell on the cable conference.

A large meeting was held in London to protest against Armenian massacres.

Mrs. Joseph Buchanan, aged 85, was killed by a freight train at Bagot yesterday.

Counterfeit Canadian half-dollars made in China are in circulation in British Columbia.

All wheat standards have been restored on the representations of the standards board.

Members of the Dominion cabinet are leaving the capital for various points in the Dominion.

Reported that a tripartite alliance has been formed between Great Britain, France and Russia.

The King of Italy has presented President Cleveland with a valuable set of historical works.

It has been decided to send the champion four oared crew of Winnipeg rowing club to Henley next year.

Twelve persons were drowned at Crosshead, Oregon, through the wrecking of the coast steamer Orago.

John Auld, liberal, was elected to the Ontario legislature for South Essex, Ont., by a thousand majority.

The crew of the Canadian cutter "Osprey" were fired on by poachers while enforcing the fishery regulations.

It is said that Senator McInnes, of British Columbia, will be the next lieutenant-governor of that province.

Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. Messrs. Fielding and Patterson have been appointed to draft the new customs tariff.

Fifteen employees of the agricultural department at Ottawa and forty-five of the public works staff have been dismissed.

The prime of all Canada and the bishop of Qu'Appelle assisted at the dedication of the new Anglican college at Montreal yesterday.

Sanford Fleming and A. G. Jones, of Halifax are to be associated with Sir Donald Smith as Canada's commissioners at the Pacific cable conference.

The official announcement of the settlement of the school questions has not yet been made public, but no doubt a basis has been arranged as the Manitoba ministers are on their way home.

Clifford Sifton declined to accept nomination for Brandon tendered him by the Souris convention, until the electors are satisfied with the terms of settlement of the school question.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

One car flour for Garipey & Chenier; one car sugar for G. F. & J. Galt; one car cattle for Jas. McLue; one car cattle for Jas. McLean; one car sundries for various parties.

LOCAL.

TRAIN left Calgary on time.

R. RECORD left for the Landing on Friday last.

Mrs. THOS. TAYLOR, of Lac St. Ann, is in town.

BEAVER lake land office has been closed for the winter.

J. J. DUGGAN shipped a car of cattle to Calgary last week.

MILLET & OTTEWILL's timber limit near Cooking lake has been burned.

The trimmings on the front of the Jacques Cartier lake are being painted.

LUTHER & Co., have burned 400,000 bricks this season, and have made satisfactory sales.

THE new roller mill at Fort Saskatchewan is nearly completed and will be running within a week.

J. H. BRACK, the prominent insurance man of Winnipeg, arrived on Monday's train on a business trip.

JAS. MCKERNAN has threshed 30,000 bushels of grain up to date in East Edmonton and Clover Bar settlements.

THE cellar for J. A. McDougall's new building is being excavated. It is 30 x 80. The building will be solid brick.

R. A. RUTMAN, W. S. RUTMAN, J. M. LAY and J. COLEMAN returned on Sunday from a successful shooting trip to Hay lakes.

S. CHIVERS-WILSON, late of the BULLETIN staff, went to Calgary on Friday's train to take a position in the irrigation surveys office there.

MESSRS. J. BROWN, J. PARCHES, J. R. TURNBULL, Ed. LOOBY, J. L. SUTTER and Jas. GODDRIEGE were out at Hay lakes last week on a shooting trip.

TWO hundred head of young cattle were being driven from Edmonton south on Tuesday. They were purchased in this district for a ranch near Lac Beauport.

THE water power grist mill on Sturgeon river is running day and night on new wheat. The improvements made to the dam ensures plenty of water.

H. E. DEVILIN has 60 days from Aug 18th, to show cause why his entry for the south-quarter of section 6, township 50, range 23 should not be cancelled.

ON Monday M. McKinnay, of Stony Plain, was brought before Insp. Snyder charged with an infraction of the prairie fire ordinance. After hearing the evidence the case was dismissed.

TOWNSHIP 54, range 26, west 4th meridian has been proclaimed a statute labor and fire district.

D. MALONEY, M. L. A., has introduced a bill into the Northwest assembly to amend the ordinance respecting threshers' liens.

A BILL respecting the use of tobacco by minors has been introduced into the Northwest assembly by Geo. Brown, M. L. A.

THE ex-mounted police association of Edmonton will hold their anniversary dinner in Edmonton on Tuesday, November 3rd.

FRASER & Co. have ceased sawing for the season and are fitting up their grist mill for the winter's run. They have already done some grinding.

L. MORLEY, merchant, at Fort Saskatchewan, has taken in gold dust at the rate of about \$300 a week for the past month from miners in that vicinity.

REV. FATHER LACOMBE returned on Thursday's train from visiting St. Boniface, and went south on Tuesday's train to go to Pincher Creek on a visit.

WHEAT is being purchased at Fort Saskatchewan for delivery at the new mill. This mill will be a great advantage to the farmers in the vicinity, particularly those living east of the Fort.

REV. J. DYKE drove to Wetaskiwin on Monday, to take the train south on Tuesday. He goes to Portage la Prairie to attend the meeting of the Methodist board of missions and will be away two weeks.

THE Winnipeg Tribune of Oct. 17 announced that the latest of the bases of settlement of the Manitoba school question had been definitely reached. The details will not be given out until they are laid before premier Greenway.

WRIGHT & McCALLUM, traders, who were taking an outfit to the Long Portage on the old boat route from Green lake to Fort McMurray, were stuck at last accounts at Fort McMurray, being unable to get men to take their outfit up the Clearwater.

JAS. WALSH, fur buyer for Joseph Ullman & Co. of St. Paul, returned on Monday's train from his summer vacation. He visited St. Paul, Winnipeg, Alameda, Calgary, Banff and points along the line, bringing in a considerable lot of furs from these latter places.

REV. FATHER LACOMBE'S Cree calendar for 1897 is ready for issue. It is the work of the BULLETIN press. This calendar has attracted a good deal of attention in past seasons owing to its clearness and simplicity, being easily comprehended whether a person can read or not.

JUDON ROULEAU is expected to arrive on today's train to hold court. Criminal proceedings will occupy to-morrow and Saturday, and criminal business will be taken up on Monday. Owing to the unusual number of criminal cases and their nature it is not expected that any civil business will be reached at this sittings.

THE Calgary Herald says that large numbers of cattle in Southern Alberta and in Northern Alberta as well are affected with lumpy jaw, a disease which is said to be infectious and which renders the meat of the animal unfit for human food. It complains that the police have not the authority to slaughter the cattle, and no provision is made for compensation to the owners.

"HOSTILITY UNMASKED" is the title of a pamphlet on the separate school question in the Northwest Territories written by Rev. Father Leduc, O. M. I., of Edmonton, formerly a member of the Territorial board of education. The School Ordinance of 1892 is attacked from the standpoint of the supporters of separate schools. The dominating provisions of educational affairs under its provisions also comes in for a good share of hostile criticism.

ANDERSON public school district, No. 434, has been proclaimed. J. JOHNSON, P. S. Fincher N. N. Jennings the first trustees. The district comprises sections 29, 30, 31 and 32 in township 49, range 18; sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17 and 18 in township 50, range 18; sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 in township 49, range 19; and sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13 and the east half of section 14 in township 50, range 19; all west of the fourth Dominion lands Meridian.

REV. FATHER LEDUC returned on Monday's train from a visit to St. Boniface and Regina. At the latter place he discussed with the Northwest executive the school law of the Territories with a view to securing important amendments to its features respecting separate schools. He particularly asked for Catholic teachers, Catholic histories, Catholic teachers and Catholic inspectors for Catholic schools. The executive are considering the case presented by him.

THE Kootenay Mail of Revelstoke B. C., of October 17 has the following account of drowning of Robert Deyell, late of Fort Saskatchewan: A fatal drowning accident, whereby W. J. McArthur and Robert Deyell, two of Horse's best boatmen, lost their lives, occurred at 8 o'clock this morning at a point on the Columbia River above Revelstoke known as Twelve Mile Bar. They with two others were working the captan on the Big Bend boat when McArthur's bar slipped and he was thrown over the side. The other three were unable to hold the strain and the bars kicked back knocking Deyell into the water and slightly injuring the other two, McKenzie and Nelly. The bodies have not been recovered.

ON Tuesday evening the Royal Templars of Temperance of South Edmonton held an educational contest for a silver medal. A. C. Rutherford presiding. An interesting programme was rendered, which was assisted greatly by the South Edmonton band. The contestants for the medal were: Miss Alice Elliott, Miss Daisy Men, Miss Bells McGee, Miss Mary Tough, Miss Annie Evans, Miss Annie Johnson and another. Besides the recitations by the contestants and selections by the band the programme included a vocal duet by Mrs. J. Jackson and Miss Richards, a vocal duet by the sisters Davidson; vocal solo by Mr. F. Richards; instrumental duet, Misses Heath and Moen; vocal duet, Mrs. Jackson and Miss Richards; club swinging, Miss Wilmer. The silver medal was awarded to Rev. Mr. Chegwain. There was a good attendance and an enjoyable time.

MRS. COWIE is seriously ill and is being treated in the Edmonton hospital.

JOS. KELLY shipped one car oats and one car potatoes to Sandon, B. C., on last train.

THE school trustees are preparing to lay down a sidewalk around the school building.

GARIPEY & CHENIER have sold out the remainder of their last season's purchases of oats to Brackman & Co., to make room in their warehouse for the new crop.

REV. MR. GORDON, of the Sturgeon, will preach on Sunday next in the Methodist church, Edmonton, at both services, and Rev. Mr. Noice, of Wetaskiwin, will preach on the following Sunday.

H. ANDERSON, of Stony Plain, whose leg was broken last week, was brought to the hospital on Monday. The break is below the knee and is so serious that it is feared an amputation will have to be performed.

WHEAT is quoted at 48¢ to 50¢. Oats 12¢ to 15¢ for feed and 15¢ to 20¢ for milling. Potatoes 15¢ a bushel, Butter 12¢ to 15¢ a pound. Wheat is cash. Oats and potatoes are sometimes cash and sometimes only part cash. Butter is all trade.

MESSRS LAMBERT AND WHITE of Fort Saskatchewan have purchased a mining scow operated during the season by parties from Wetaskiwin, who had to return home to attend to their farms. The scow gave good returns during the season. There is another mining scow being operated successfully below Fort Saskatchewan.

THE second annual ball of Court Edmonton No. 1346, L. O. E. took place last evening in Robertson hall, and was very successful. Some forty five couples were present and the 24 numbers on the programme were danced with spirit. The music was furnished by Messrs Purches, violin; Cann, piano, and Hockley, cornet. The supper was all that could be desired and was furnished from Lander's bakery. The hall was handsomely decorated with red white and blue streamers. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

G. GALLAGHER is buying hogs for packing purposes. The price is 3¢ to 3½¢ a pound live weight. This is from half a cent to a cent lower than last year. Only a few are being brought in as yet but it is expected that the number offered will be at least as great as last year. Owing to the increased number of hogs in this district it has become necessary to export a large part of the hams and other products. When the whole product was consumed locally the freight was in the farmer's favor. Now that a part has to be exported the freight is against him and the price comes down in consequence. Mr. Gallagher believes that if the whole product had to be exported the price would have to be dropped at least half a cent lower.

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GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

The Toronto Mail and other organs of the opposition are sending forth a doleful wail regarding the possibility of certain deputy heads of departments at Ottawa being dismissed. The wicked grills are after the salaries for their friends, and in order that these friends shall attain the coveted salaries the business of the country will inevitably be thrown into confusion (so the Mail alleges) by the removal of those who have guided the affairs of those departments for the past years. A few weeks ago the Mail and its friends were howling about the dismissal of charwomen and navvies as being beneath the dignity of any self respecting government. It would appear that the only course regarding officials for the new government to pursue that would meet the approval of the Mail would be to continue in office all appointees of their predecessors without regard to the necessity for the office, the qualifications of the person holding it, or the service he was rendering the country or the government. In other words: "We don't object so much to your governing, but you must let us fill the offices, and particularly, draw the salaries." This is no doubt a fair and reasonable proposition from a Tupper point of view. But the government has to consider national affairs from other standpoints than that of the opposition. Considering that the system under which positions in the civil service of Canada from charwomen to deputy ministers have been attained during the past eighteen years—a system under which partisan services of self or friends were certainly the first if not the only consideration—it would be a master stroke of party policy if this grand army of workers could be held intact and supported in its organization for the party purposes of the opposition at the expense of the country. To be able to know beforehand from friends necessarily posted, of the innermost workings of the new government, so as to counter every project at the moment of its appearance, was a party advantage worth fighting for, and certainly, the Tupper family and their able allies of the press have made a noble fight to that end.

Had the new government found a non-partisan civil service, that by reason of its training and traditions could be depended upon to give as faithful service to them as to their predecessors, it would be as iniquitous a procedure as the Mail declares it to be for them to make places for their friends by the discharge of faithful and competent men. But it is simply notorious that they did not find such a service. Starting in 18 years ago on the principle—thinly veiled—that to the victors belong the spoils, their predecessors managed to load the service far over its proper carrying capacity by creating in many cases unnecessary offices or appointing incompetent officers. No doubt attempts were made to get good men and to keep down expenses, but it is plain that there being a continual pressure from within the party to secure places for friends, it became year by year more difficult for the old party to reduce the civil service expenditure within proper limits or secure thoroughly efficient service for the money paid. On the entry of a new government, free from any party obligations, to say the least, to the present office holders, is the time to make such changes in the service as shall at once reduce the burden and increase the value to the country. If the new government does not do this it will fall that much short of the expectations of the large majority of those whose support placed it in power. The idea that the holder of a government office is by right a pensioner on the country because of services to the party is or should be played out.

And everyone should be given to understand that the holder of a position in the government service is required to render as much value for the salary received as he would be required to in any other position. If for any reason he cannot render the service he should be dispensed with. If the government goes in to reform the civil service along these lines it will have the hearty support of the country at large, in opposition to the Tupper idea that "public office is a private snap."

As far as the new government has declared, or shown their policy on this matter, they certainly cannot be accused of being aggressive. They have only dealt with the political side of the civil service and have taken the ground that every man is entitled to his own views and to express those views by his vote without interference. But they hold that in self defence as a ministry as well as in the performance of their duty as a government they cannot allow those who are the servants of the country to be the political agents of the party of their opponents. It is a reasonable proposition that when a man is drawing the money of the country for service to be rendered to the country he should not become the agent and advocate of one part of the country as against another part. They find no fault with what a man said or did before he entered the service of the state, but after he has taken the state's money his duty is to the state which pays him rather than to the party which appointed him.

The question as to the suggested removal of certain deputy heads of departments is one not so much of politics as of suitability and efficiency. It is alleged on behalf of these gentlemen that they have been actually managing the affairs of the country for many years past and that their removal would cause confusion if not disaster to the public business. This fact, that they have managed the affairs of the country, and that those affairs have not been well managed, is the very reason why their removal is demanded by supporters of the government. The country wants, needs and expects a change from old methods of management. As it is hard to learn an old dog new tricks, the new ministers are certainly going to be at a serious disadvantage in enforcing new ideas in the several departments unless they get men who are in accord with and can grasp and give effect to those ideas as their deputies. The importance of the position of deputy minister is very great,—but it has been over-estimated in the past, and no one over-estimates it quite as much as the gentlemen now holding those positions. The system in the past has been that the minister drew his salary, attended to the gear of the political machine, and left the proper work of his office to his deputy. That is one of the bottom reasons why those who composed the late government are now in opposition, or nowhere. The departments were not in touch with the people of the country. It is expected that the new government will handle things on a different footing; that the ministers will attend to the proper working of their several departments, so as to give effect to the mandate received by them from the people on election day. They have a great deal to do. They are expected to do a great deal. If they do not do it the very men who put them in office will put them out. This being the case they are not only entitled to, but it is their duty to, equip themselves with the best and most suitable officers of all ranks that they can get, no matter whose corns are trodden on. The country looks for a new administration of its affairs. In order to secure that the electors changed the ministers, and if it is necessary to change the deputy ministers as well they demand that the change shall be made.

The Montreal Star recently published an alleged cablegram from London, England, as follows: "The Canadian government has given full assurance to their friends here of their intention to make strenuous efforts to people the vacant lands of the great Northwest.

The Canadian government have at the same time called for detailed suggestions from government agents and steamship companies concerned in emigration, with a view to formulating a workable scheme to attract carefully selected emigrants from Britain, Germany, Austria and Scandinavia." If the first part of the cablegram is correct, namely that it is the intention of the Canadian government to take active measures to people the great Northwest, the latter part of it, that they are calling on their own agents and the agents of the steamship companies for information on the subject, must surely be a mistake. These are the persons upon whom the government has relied in the past for information and for effort with a result rather less than nothing. If the Northwest is to be peopled from Great Britain, Germany, Austria and Scandinavia new methods will have to be inaugurated and new men must be employed. The first step towards securing a satisfactory increase of population in Canada is the retention of the native born population. Until that can be done any attempt to fill up the country by bringing in people is exactly on the same line as trying to fill a sieve with water. Until the conditions in Canada are such as will retain our own people we certainly cannot expect to attract the most desirable classes of foreign birth. Make Canada attractive to Canadians and it will be sufficiently attractive to other people. That is the secret of a successful immigration policy.

The Manitoba Free Press gives its views on the Chinese question as follows:

"The Chinese question in Canada is not a very serious one, and it is as much to the front already as we are likely to see it for some time. In British Columbia there are a class of people who have persuaded themselves that the Chinese, with their greater industry and frugality, are cutting the ground from under their feet, and who are therefore crying out for their exclusion. Another class, who never thrive at their best without excitement and agitation, encourage the first in their prejudices and jealousies. Candidates in the recent election who were too anxious to get votes to be over-scrupulous as to the means, took advantage of this feeling by joining in the cry against the Chinese, to which they afterwards gave voice at Ottawa under the pressure of pledges freely exchanged for votes. That is the extent of the Chinese question in Canada.

It is really remarkable how thoroughly those who see nothing of the Chinese question can possibly know so much about it, and get it down so much finer than those who have to face it in their daily life. It is because the Free Press cannot answer the arguments against the Chinese placed before parliament by Mr. Maxwell, M. P. for Vancouver, that it imputes unworthy motives to Mr. Maxwell.

An Ottawa telegram says that, "The tariff commission, decided upon by the new government will not visit Winnipeg. They will take in, probably five Ontario cities, and the centres of population in Quebec and the Maritime provinces. The person, 'not is not yet fixed, but it will start work in three weeks.' It is to be hoped that this report is a mistake. That every care should be taken to injure eastern industries as little as possible, or indeed to benefit them wherever the public interest will allow, everyone in the west will admit. But the west also has interests that must be considered in the proposed revision, and eastern men are not so much more familiar with western conditions than with eastern that while they need to personally inspect those in the east they do not need to visit the west.

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COLD STORAGE FOR CREAMERIES.

In continuing his remarks in committee of supply in the house of commons, on the item of \$20,000 for cold storage the minister of agriculture said: "I find that it is very necessary to provide with the creameries sufficient cold storage. For that purpose, I propose to give a small bonus to any creamery which will provide such cold storage accommodation as would meet the views of the dairy commissioner. There are to-day about 400 creameries working in Canada, and I expect that next season about one-half of them will take advantage of this offer, and I would be very glad if they all would. The necessary expenditure likely to be incurred by creamery owners would vary from \$200 to \$400 each to provide the necessary accommodation. There are a great many creameries which have poor accommodation, which are improperly built and not properly fitted for the purposes of cold storage, but I would require that the creameries which get the grant should furnish really effective accommodation by putting up buildings with such walls and ice in them as would keep the temperature at a sufficiently low point to prevent the butter becoming deteriorated. This would require an expenditure on the part of each creamery of from \$200 to \$400 according to the condition of the creamery, and what work would have to be done to put it in proper order. I propose to give to any creamery which will adopt this cold storage, \$50 the coming season, \$25 the following season, and \$25 the third season, or in all \$100, provided parliament votes the necessary amount. My object in spreading the bonus over the three years is to secure a proper maintenance of the system and incite the creamery owners to take full advantage of the grant, and also because I expect that the first year some will shrink from the undertaking. In the succeeding years, however, I hope that they will all get the bonus. I would like to give a figure with regard to some sales, made within the last two weeks, of creamery butter from the Northwest Territories, from creameries run under the control of the dairy commissioner. There are two creameries under his control, one of which is supplied with efficient cold storage accommodation and the other is not. There were sales made in the same week in England of the butter from the creameries, and the article from the one provided with cold storage netted two cents a pound more than the product of the one that had not cold storage. If we should decide to have storage warehouses in the interior, it would be necessary perhaps to provide some assistance, by means of a direct bonus to the warehouses or by guaranteeing the interest on a part of the whole of the investments for a number of years, during which the expenses will be heavy on them and the warehouses themselves would not perhaps be utilized to such an extent as to give a return on the investment. I think, however, it will be necessary to secure, by one means or another, at once, this coming season, the establishment of cold storage warehouses at the points of shipment where the products are put in the ocean vessels. That I am satisfied of, and I also wish to ensure the establishment of these small cold storage accommodations at the creameries. Of this \$20,000 I am asking for, about \$10,000 will go to that coming winter. At present our egg trade with England is comparatively limited. We send large quantities of eggs to Boston and other American markets. My information leads me to believe that eggs sent to England and on arriving there in undeteriorated condition would be very profitable to the exporter, and therefore it would be a trade to which it would be desirable to afford facilities as soon as possible—as soon as the cold storage is provided. There is, no doubt, a splendid market in England for our dressed poultry also. This is one of the things in which the ordinary prices there and here differ most greatly. The margin between the English price and ours seems greater, than anything else we are likely to send to the British market, and I think it is very advisable that our people should be encouraged, and perhaps facilitated not only by cold storage, but by arrangements made by trial shipments, to make an effort to send dressed poultry to the English market. I also ask a certain amount in this estimate for investigation. But before I proceed to other points, I may say that perhaps \$1,000 will probably be used before 1st July next in assisting, or perhaps, in some instances, paying the necessary cost of the cold storage to stimulate the proper collection of the eggs and placing of them on the English market in a fresh condition. I think I have thus explained pretty well why I ask this amount of \$20,000. But I want to state emphatically and clearly that the completion of the project to secure the future success of this cold storage business, will involve con-

tracts of a nature which I trust will be satisfactory, in connection with the steamship companies, and possibly in connection with warehouses in this country, which will extend over a short term of years. From my information at this time, I think the term will be from three to five years. I do not wish it to extend over a long period.

LACOMBE LINKS.

Miss Emma Taylor left on Friday last for Montreal where she will reside for a time with her sister.

Mr. Folger started for London, England, on Friday last where he will remain for the winter and return in the spring.

Mr. Walker, of Red Deer, has secured the contract of painting the new hotel and has the roof completed.

G. A. Reid, our hardware merchant, is shipping considerable quantities to the Kootenay country, for which he pays \$3 per ton free on board, he doing the pressing.

The anniversary services of the Methodist church and the union Sunday school meeting in the afternoon were well attended yesterday. There will be a dinner and an entertainment given this evening for the same cause.

G. I. Clink had his mare at the Red Deer races fair day—the rest weren't in it.

We understand there has been information laid against some parties for setting out prairie fires near here.

Mr. Craft, who has been working at the carpenter trade in town nearly all summer has returned to his farm.

We are glad to see that Dr. Findlater, who has been ill for some time, is able to be around again.

R. Hampson got two brood and two second prizes on his first mares and foals and two year olds at Red Deer. They are fine large animals.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta—Edward Bull, Thornbury; Oliver Good, Medicine Hat; R. L. Alexander, Calgary; A. Stinson, Egg Lake.
Queen's—W. Toole, Calgary; J. H. Brock, Winnipeg; W. P. Links, Portland.
Jasper—A. Tourgand, J. Carson, J. D. Ross, Fort Saskatchewan.

FIRE ALARM.

The fire bell rang about 2:30 this afternoon, the alarm having been sent from S. Taylor's residence. The chemical engine was promptly on hand, having been hailed from Ross Bros. corner to Mr. Taylor's by F. M. Robertson's team. One hose reel followed the chemical closely, but as the fire was put out before the chemical arrived the fire engine was not taken up. The run to the house from the fire hall is over a mile, but it was made in good time by a large number of firemen and others, in many cases kindly assisted by passing teams and single rigs. The fire occurred in a back bed room of the upper story and was caused by Mr. Taylor's little boy, about four years old, who in playing with matches which he had found, accidentally set fire to the window curtain. The interior of the room was considerably charred and the value of the contents destroyed before the fire was put out by water from buckets energetically handled by the members of the household. An examination of the water tank at the land office, which is the one to have been used in the fire engine, bean required, made by Councillor Sanderson, showed that it was nearly full and quite ready for business.

THRESHING.

Two threshers are busily at work and are making a good season's run. Straw is short, grain is good and the weather all that could be desired. From present appearances the district will be threshed out in good time. South of the river Henderson & Stewart are at work in the Rabbit hill settlement. August Schatz on the eastern part of the reserve, Jas. McKernan in East Edmonton and Clover Bar, Jellitt & Ottewill in Clover Bar, W. Walker in Agricola and McLennan & Sheekleton southeast of Fort Saskatchewan. North of the river on Stony Plain, A. D. McLeod, D. Brock and M. McKinnay are at work; S. Albert and Egg Lake, McLeod, McDonald, Dapples, Labbe, Williams and the Indian department thrasher are at work. In Belmont, Poplar Lake and Sturgeon settlements, McLeod & Ross, the Poplar Lake Co., and Lang Bros. are working. On the lower Sturgeon Goulton's machine is at work. At Ledoux Latam & Frederick; Beaver Lake, R. Logan; Manawan, J. Bibbee have horse power machines. A larger proportion of wheat has been grown this season than heretofore, and the yield is better than that of oats or barley. The sample of oats is good but the yield is light. The barley sample generally is not of the best. Taken altogether the crop is a good average.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

The annual shoot of the Edmonton rifle association took place at the rifle ranges on Wednesday, when some excellent scores were registered. The following are the scores in the several competitions:

PRESIDENT'S MATCH.

200 and 500 yards. 5 rounds.
W. Pearce, 55455—24 44545—22 46
J. Leroy, 44455—21 55445—23 45
J. R. Turnbull, 54455—23 55435—22 45
John Kelly, 44445—20 54455—23 43
Sergt. Brook, 54444—21 45554—21 42

ASSOCIATION MATCH.

200 and 400 yards. 5 rounds.
J. Leroy, 55554—24 54535—22 46
W. Pearce, 45554—23 54544—22 45
J. R. Turnbull, 45545—23 55444—22 45
W. S. Robertson, 43444—19 55445—25 44
Sergt. Brook, 45555—24 32555—20 44

MERCHANTS' MATCH.

200 yards. 7 rounds.
W. Pearce, 45555 45455—33
A. K. McLellan, 54554 44455—32
J. Leroy, 55444 44455—31
Sergt. Brook, 44455 45544—31
G. D. Harris, 54544 45454—31
J. R. Turnbull, 54544 44444—30
W. S. Robertson, 44455 44454—29
J. V. Carpenter, 44454 45454—29
Jno. Kelly, 34444 45545—28
Corp. Byrne, 43544 44444—28

The following are the prizes in the Merchants' Match:

Hudson's Bay Co.,	Cup
LaRue & Picard, goods,	\$3 00
Jas. Ross, goods,	2 00
E. Raymer, goods,	2 50
W. T. Henry & Co., goods,	2 50
Fred Ross, goods,	3 00
Jas. Stovel, goods,	1 00
F. M. Robertson, goods,	2 50
G. H. Graydon, goods,	1 00
C. Gallagher, goods,	3 00
Seigler & Crystal,	50
Carpenter & Vaudin, goods,	2 25
J. D. Clark,	50
Cann & Co., goods,	1 50
Mrs. Lauder, goods,	1 00
J. T. Blowsy, goods,	2 50
K. A. McLeod,	1 00
Edmonton Saddlery Co.,	1 50

CORRESPONDENCE.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

Sir: I notice in your issue of the 15th inst., under the heading of "Lacombe Links," that myself with another party were in that town, and that we got there at a lively rate of speed. When your correspondent got his information I know not, but he was certainly misinformed. For fear some of the fast men of the district might doubt my veracity, or take me for a scorcher in disguise, I thought a denial of the statement would be in order, and might clear their minds of any doubt concerning me. Had your correspondent ever ridden over the road and especially the part referred to in his letter I do not think he would have included that statement in his correspondence. Thanking you for the space.

I am yours truly,
W. T. HENRY.

The bridge across the Bow River at "Miford" is to be free from toll for one year from October 17th.

LOCAL.

Dr. BRATTIWAITE's residence is being repaired.

P. SECOND returned from the Landing yesterday evening.

Free Press Oct. 17: The Hon. J. I. Tarte left for Sorel yesterday and will set out for the west on Monday, with Miss Tarte, Mrs. (Hon.) L. H. Davies, and his private secretary, Mr. Gellinas.

On Tuesday Donald McDonald, of Stony Plain road, was charged before Insp. Snyder with having set fire to a hay stack of W. Splan. He was committed for trial and bail accepted.

This government oil boring party at the Landing have stopped boring at that point and are pulling up the casing now in the well and getting everything ready to move to Pelican rapids down the Athabasca early in the spring to commence operations there.

It is considered certain that the oil bearing shale underlies the country at Pelican rapids at a depth of not more than 700 feet.

VILLAGE ORDINANCE.

A bill to amend the Village Ordinance of the Northwest Territories has been introduced by R. F. Insinger, M. L. A. It proposes to provide that the town meeting may decide whether or not animals shall be allowed to run at large in the village. Also to give power to enforce statute labor by farm and apprenticeship. Also to compel the overseer to produce vouchers for money paid. Also to compel the maintenance of a pound in the village. Also prohibiting hawking or peddling within the village except on payment of a license fee of \$5.00.

GENERAL NEWS.

Sir William Van Horne told the Calgary Herald that it would be impossible to extend the C. P. R. from Arrow Head along the Arrow lakes to Nelson and Trail.

The Hazard coal mine in the Souris district is expected to put out 20,000 tons of coal during the coming winter, an increase of 8,000 tons over last year.

Toronto Telegram: "Justice is that higher law appealed to by all politicians in opposition and violated by most politicians in office."

Toronto Telegram: "Justice to Minorities is still a plank of the conservative platform, and the only way of dispensing Justice to the minority which sits to the left of Mr. Speaker."

Battleford Herald, Oct. 9: Deaths continue to occur in H. Sayers' herd of cattle at Breyeray under the peculiar circumstances of last week, and on Wednesday Veterinary-Sergeant Pringle, of the Mounted Police, went up to investigate.

The losses so far have been confined to Mr. Sayers' herd.
A Macleod despatch of Oct. 15th, to the Free Press says: "The body of the Indian who was found in a shed on the Cuchane ranch on Monday was murdered about twelve days ago by another Indian, named Bad Young Man, who shot him through the head and body, cut his heart out, and otherwise mutilated him. Cause, jealousy. On the finding of the body, inquiries were made, and Farm Instructor McNeill was supposed to have discovered something of the matter. Bad Young Man then attempted to murder him, shooting him in the side, and then on the reserve. While the police and Indians were hunting for him on Tuesday night he seems to have returned to his house and there murdered both his mother and sister. A party of mounted police have been searching for him since, but up to this evening he is at large, and supposed to have made for the states. The three Indians are now dead, the white man slightly wounded, but will recover."

The Toronto Telegram has the following surmise as to the settlement of the Manitoba school question now in progress at Ottawa: "Some of the details of the settlement have leaked out through various channels despite the efforts of the cabinet ministers to observe the strictest secrecy. The proposed settlement is along the line of the original deal prepared shortly after the formation of the government. The principle of national schools remains intact, the local government retaining absolute control of them. Uniform inspection is also provided for, so that the general efficiency of all the schools will be assured. To provide for the education of all the children there is a bilingual provision so that children who cannot speak English, can be taught by the use of the French language to do so. The clause of the settlement which has given rise to the greatest trouble and discussion, and which kept both sides apart the longest, is that relating to religious exercises in the schools. The settlement provides that half an hour each day shall be taken by religious exercises, the schools closing at 3.30 p. m. instead of 4. All children who do not wish to remain for religious exercises may leave after 3.30. Then the teachers shall give certain religious instruction to all those pupils who choose to remain.

BIRTHS.

RICHARDSON.—At Edmonton, on Wednesday, Oct. 21, the wife of W. J. Richardson, of a son.

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METEOROLOGICAL.

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	Max.	Min.
Monday, 19,	54	24
Tuesday, 20,	53	23
Wednesday, 21,	46	24
Thursday, 22,	43	28

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The Macleod Gazette of the 16th says that the rumor that two Indian women had been murdered is unfounded.

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102-5 JOHN J. BELT, Horse Hill.

STRAYED.
Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, Sec. 10-21-25, one chestnut gelding about ten years old, white star in forehead, saddle mark on back, left ear partly cut out, branded 19 on left side not very plainly. Was hobbled when he left. A reward of \$5.00 will be given for his recovery.
100-3 PETER VOLPEL, South Edmonton P.O.

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